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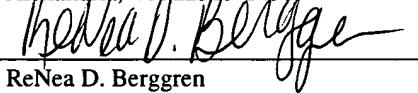
**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION DATED
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 17, 2005, for which the three month shortened statutory period for reply is set to expire on August 17, 2005. While it is believed that no fees are necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to grant any needed fees which may be required for this Response, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0439. Consideration of the Amendment and Remarks/Arguments that follow is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.